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CIRCUIT COURT.

Circuit Court begins on the fourth Monday in February, May and October,
C E Patterson, Judge.
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F M Campbell, Clerk.
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QUARTERLY COURT.

Quarterly Court is held on the third Monday in January, April, July and October.
B. L. Litsey, Judge.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court meets on the fourth Monday in each month.
B L Litsey, Judge
W F Booker, County Clerk.
T S Mayes, County Attorney
J R Smith, Jailer
H B Powell, Sheriff
W R Thurman, Sidney Osborne, Byron Croake, Ed Masters, } Deputies
James F Moore, County Surveyor.
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Rev George W Swope, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p m. Sunday School at 9:30; Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30 p m.

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Rev R E G Lawson, Pastor, Services every Sunday at 11 a m and 8 p m; Prayer Meeting every Thursday night.

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Rev F F Hennessy, Pastor; Services every Sunday at 8 and 10 o'clock a m. Services at St. Rose same hours.

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Rev. H. F. Lloyd pastor. Services second Sunday in each month at the Methodist church.

FRATERNAL ORDERS.

Masonic Lodge—Springfield lodge No. 50 meets second Monday in each month.

Washington R O Chapter, No. 27, meets every third Monday.

Springfield Council No. 52, meets every fourth Monday.

Knights of Honor—Meets every second and fourth Monday in each month.

Knights of the Maccabees—Meets every first Wednesday of each month.

I. O. R. M. Black Hawk Tribe N. 24—Meets every Wednesday night in wigwam, McElroy Hall.

L. and N. TIME TABLE.

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KIDNEY DISEASES

are the most fatal of all diseases.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is a Guaranteed Remedy

or money refunded. Contains remedies recognized by eminent physicians as the best for Kidney and Bladder troubles.

PRICE 50c. and $1.00.

Foley's Honey and Tar heals lungs and stops the cough

Odds and Ends of Gossip.

The Boy on the Farm.

ESPERANCE.

The boy on the farm!—we all love him
Tho' sometimes he's rugged and rough;
And sometimes he's ignorant, very;
And many a time he is tough.
But old father Time, with soft fingers
Will round off the corners, and then
We'll see, with surprise and enjoyment,
These boys turn to grand, noble men!

Too many by far are neglected,
And left to come up as they will,
With no mother's love for their comfort,
And no father's hand to instill
Within their young hearts love of knowledge,
Or hatred of all that may harm.
Let's watch them and guard them and guide them,
These boys who are tired of the farm

Let's try to make home more attractive
By that which mere wealth cannot buy,
By kindness, and love that is active:
By letting cross worlds silent lie.
And some day, some statesman or soldier
Will think, with a sigh, of the charm
That lay 'rodnd the home of his childhood,
When he was a boy on the farm.

TOBACCO—The tobacco crop has grown to be one of the biggest industries of the county and consequently the greatest interest is always manifested in the condition of the crop at cutting time. Nearly all of the tobacco in the county has been cut but unfortunately on account of the fear of frost a short time back the great bulk of the crop was cut too green. The farmers became alarmed over the little cold snap which set in awhile back and pitched in and cut their tobacco regardless of its condition and as a consequence there promises to be a lot of indifferent tobacco in the barns this season, Had it not been for the early cutting the chances are that the crop of the county as a whole would have been of a better grade than had been known for years.

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SEASON OF SALES—This is the season of public sales with the farmer and stock raiser and within the next week or so there are advertised to occur throughout the county a half dozen or more sales of live stock, crops and other products of the farm. The public sale is a good institution in its way and has come to be a valuable adjunct to the business of farming. Many a poor farmer has been helped out of a tight place by means of the sale which has afforded him a good chance of converting into cash some of the surplus stock and property of the farm that might have been a burden for him to carry. These sales are also the means of promoting trade intercourse among farmers and serve to establish a kind of market and values for farm products. We heard a good farmer remark the other day that it would pay a man to have a sale once in every two or three years and to sell out and start in anew and it seems a good idea.

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THE FAIR,—Visitors from this place to the great Inter State fair at Louisuille returned full of praise and wonder at the magnificent exhibition of live stock. Some of the finest cattle and hogs owned in the United States were there and too much credit can not be awarded the management of the fair for getting together such a collection of stock. The live stock show alone was well worth the time and cost of a trip of miles to one who is interested in such exhibits, but to judge from the attendance at the fair the first week and the make up of the crowd it was only those from a distance who are interested in such sights. The Louisville people are evidently not interested and they were conspicuous for their absence. Or perhaps as a Louisville paper frankly admitted, the fair was gotten up solely for the purpose of the city that country people to [illegible] more than might spend [illegible] and the local business men were at work helping their country friends to spend their money and therefore had no time to attend the fair, That's all very well for the business man but rather tough on the stockholders of the fair company who expected to make the fair a success financially and to assure it as a permanent annual attraction. There is one feature of the fair which we would suggest as badly needing revising and improving and that is the Midway about which there has been so much advertising. The Midway shows at the Louisville fair taken as whole are of a bum order. Some of the shows are simply bum inasmuch as they are not worth the price of admission. but there are others that are positively tough. A Midway is generally looked upon as a place where every thing goes. but there should be a limit and to make the Inter-State fair a great family attraction with a high moral and improving tone the Midway's list of attractions should be revised.

BRAIN FOOD NONSEMSE.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part, Yet. however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions, A few doses aids digestion. stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at all druggists. Get Green's Special Almanac.

Out of Death's Jaws.

"When death seemed very near from a severe stomach and liver trouble, that I had suffered with for years," writes P. Muse, Durham, N. C., "Dr. King's New Life Pills saved my life and gave perfect health." Best pills on earth and only 25c at Haydon & Robertson's drugstore

One Bottle

of Remick's Pepsin Blood Tonic will make you fairly sparkle with new life and vigor. For sale by Haydon & Robertson.

When you have no appetite, do not relish your food and feel dull after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Haydon & Robertson's drug store.

Settled.

Both coal operators and union officials in Hopkins county have agreed to accept Adjt. Gen Murry's proposal that they surrender all arms and allow the soldiers to guard the mines and prevent disorder. The operators have already signed the agreement and the union men will affix their signatures to day The mine guards and extra deputy sheriffs will be withdrawn. In the meantime the disorder in Hopkins county continues. The non union miners at the Carbondale mines were fired upon from ambush yesterday and were forced to flee for their lives. A number of the Oak Hill men were also fired upon. No one was wounded,—Courier Journal.

soul and lightens many of life's burdens. If you have ever heard the sweet-toned Steger Piano you will appreciate this. To reach the highest standard of excellence has always been the aim in the manufacture of the Celebrated Steger Piano. Only the best material is used, insuring great durability. Every piano fully guaranteed. The Steger factories, thoroughly equipped with the best and most improved machinery, located at Steger, Ill, are among the largest in the west.

Intending purchasers will find it profitable to write for full descriptive catalogue, which will be mailed free, upon application. Steger & Co. Established 1879. Chicago. Ill. 20tf

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.

Life Sentncee.

The jury in the case of Eugene Montgomery, charged with the murder of his infant daughter, brought in a verdict of guilty yesterday morning and fixed the penalty at imprisonment for life, The jury was out several hours Wednesday afternoon and evening, and Thursday morning. Some disagreement occured as to the penalty, seven being at first for life sentence and five for hanging, a compromise being finally reached in accordance with the wishes of the jury's majority, Montgomery seemed unmoved by the verdict. The crime of Montgomery, through the course of two trials in the Boyle Court, has become familiar to the public. On the 24th of last March his four-year-old daughter, Lulu died suddenly under suspicious circumstances, and at the instigation of a number of the colored residents of his neighborhood Montgomery was arrested and a post mortem held. at which it was developed that the child died from the effects of a blow on the head, The coroner's jury brought in a verdict in accordance with the facts as indicated by the inquest, stating that in their opinion Montgomery had killed the child. A strong case was made out against him in the ensuing term of Circuit Court, and he was sentenced to hang. His attorneys carried the case to the Court of Appeals, however, where a reversal was procured and a new trial ordered, which terminated as above stated. There were no witnesses to the crime. and circumstantial evidence was relied upon by the prosecution, one of the strong points being the fact that Montgomery had a few days previous to the child's death insured her life for $35 in an industrial insurance company. Sentence will probably be pronounced to morrow. —Danville Advocate

How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Mrs. T. Briddleman of Parshallville. Mich., was troubled with salt rheum for thirteen years and had tried a number of doctors without relief. After two applications of Banner Salve, her hands became better and in a short time she was entirely cured. Beware of substitutes, Wood & Wimsatt.

A new remedy for billiousness is now on sale at Haydon & Robertson's drug store. It is called Chamberlain's Liver and Stemach Tablets. It gives quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the first indcation of the disease appears. Price, 25 cents per box, Samples free.

Yerkes.

A dispatch from Washington says; "Every indication points to the fact that Commissioner of Internal Revenue John W. Yerkes, will remain in his present position and will also be the Washington representative of Kentucky politics. When President McKinley died there were intimations that Mr. Yerkes would hand in his resignation as commissioner, and also be displaced as the dictator of Republican politics in Kentucky. Those who were making these predictions hinted that Leslie M. Combs would be the boss in Kentucky. They had an idea Combs would have all to say about the Collecter of Internal Revenue at Louisville, and that he would also be consulted upon expected changes in the Federal offices in Kentucky. Apparently this will not happen.

America's Famous Beauties

Look with horror on Skin Eruptions, Blotches, Sores, Pimples. They don't have them nor will any one, who uses Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face. Eczema or Salt Rheum vanish before it. It cures sore lips, chapped hands. chilblains. Infallible for Piles 25c at Haydon & Robertson's drug store.

Lebanon Locals.

From The Falcon.

Mr, Sam Todd. who recently had the misfortune to break his leg. was on the streets last Monday, for the first time since the accident. Sam is getting about on crutches now, but the broken limb is doing well and he hopes soon to dispense with the crutches.

The Court of Appeals has handed down an opinion in the case of Ray vs. Spears, which was appealed from the Marion Circuit Court. The case involves the homesterd near this city, together with all the improvements, a sum which figured in cash would amount to $30,000 or $40,000, The decision of the Court of Appeals is a broad one in fact a complete reversal on every count. It means that Mr. Ray retains the land. Judge J. P. Thompson, unassisted was the attorney for Mr. Ray.

Caleb Wise, one of the most familiar characters of the county is dead. He passed away at the county poor house last Friday. For many years he lived here, but becoming old and decrepid and having no relations or friend to care for him, he went to the county farm, where he died. He had one wooden leg and by the noise from this wooden member you could always tell when Caled was around, His great hobby was in searching for the hidden treasures of the earth. and many imaginary veins of gold and other precious ore have been traced by him for miles. His death removes one of the most eccentric characters of the county. He was probably past 80 years of age.

Mr. William Burks, one of the most substantial citizens, having passed the age alloted to the average man, passed away at his home near Loretto, Tuesday morning. Mr. Burks was 77 years of age and his death was due to general debility. For many years he operated the distillery which bears his name.

The surviving children are, Mrs. Ida White, Messers Geo. R Wallace, Boyd Bee, Paul. Ray and Reuben. The funeral services occured at Smock's Chapel yesterday afternoon and were attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends. Services were conducted by Rev. B. Arvin The funeral was conducted with Masonic rites. Interment at Smock's Chapel.

Goes Like Hot Cakes

"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes druggist C. T. Smith of Davis. Ky., "is Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, because it always cures. In my six years of sales it has never failed, I have known it to save sufferers from Throat and Lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy." Mothers rely on it, best physicians prescribe it, and Haydon & Robertson guarantee satisfaction or refund price. Trial bottles free. Regular sizes 50c and $1.

It Happeded in a Drug Store

"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not have in stock," says a popular druggist of Ontario, N Y. She was dissappointed and wanted to know what cough prepesation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that she could take a bottle of the remedy and after giving it a fair trial of a few weeks if she hid not find it worth the money to bring the bottle back and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or so the lady came back in company with a friend in need of a cough medicine and advised her to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy." The remedy owes its great popularity and extensive sale in a large measure to the personal recommendations of people who have been cured by its use. It is far sale by Haydon & Robertson,

S. A. Ingalls, Crown Point, N. Y., writes: "My wife suffered from kidney trouble for years. She was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure and in less than a week after she began using it, she was greatly improved and three bottles cured her. Wood & Wimsatt.

Blundering Doctors.

If there ever was a case to make the general run of humanity lose all faith in doctors it is the case of our late President He had at his bedside seven physicians and surgeons who were regarded as the most skillful in their profession. Twenty four hours after the President was shot they began to give out favorable bulletins and special interviews. From day to day these reports became more and more encouraging until last Thursday he was pronounced practically out of danger. The Cabinet returned to Washington. The Vice President went off on a hunting trip away from the railroad, some of the physicians returned home themselves. The question of moving the President to Washington was discussed. It was thought in a few days he would be able to sign State papers and even the question of allowing him to smoke a cigar was discusssed. The public mind with these sort of reports coming from the bedside of the wounded man became by degrees quiet, hopeful and then sanguine of his recovery. In twenty four hours from the most favored bullitin the President was dead and now comes these same physicians and surgeons who pronounced him out of danger and declare an autopsy that from the very nature of his wounds his death was inevitable. If the autopsy was right then never seven more stupid doctors gathered at the bedside of any dying man. Faith in the scinece of surgery has received a violent shock in the fact that seven surgeons reported the President as getting well when his death as inevitable —Elizabethtown News.

WOMEN AND JEWELS.

Jewels, candy. flowers. man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even the gaeatest of all jewels. hdalth, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save money to purchase them, If a woman will risk her health to get the coveted gems then let her fortify herself against the insiduous consequences of colds, coughs and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee,s German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stage, and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure all. but it is a certain cure for coughs, codls and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's special remidies at Haydon & Robertson. Get Green's Spec a Almanac.

Backache should never be neglected. It means kidney disorder, which if allowed to run too long, may result in Bright's disease, diabetes or other serious and often fatal complaints. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys well. Wood & Wimsatt.

All Kentucky Should be on hand to see the great $16000 Kentucky Futurity stake decided on the first day of the Lexington rots of Oct 8 to 18. In the field are the best three-year olds of the year. including such sensational colts as Admiral Dewey, son of Bingen 2:06¼ and Nancy Hanks 2:04, Walnut Hall, winner of the 2-yr-old division, Hixie Allerton, Peter Sterling. Hawthorn, Jay McGregor, Great Spirit, etc.

Western Cattle Market.

A press dispatch from Chicago says the outlook for owners of cattle throughout the whole corn belt is not encouraging for the immediate future. A great many men who, would buy corn and finish off their cattle before marketing find that holders of old corn will not sell at all; others are panic-stricken and bent upon getting their immature cattle sold before the bottom falls out of the market. The result is an over-supply of poor to half-fat cattle right at a time when the rangers are beginning to come. The rangers are arriving in good beef condition, and buyers will take them in preference to the half-fat cattle and grass natives, unless they can get the latter at sacrifice prices, There is a very satisfactory market condition for fully fat native cattle, yet this large immature class is finding a poor outlet at unsatisfactory and continually sagging prices. It is only a few weeks ago that few steers were selling below $4.75, while now hundreds of them are begging an outlet at prices ranging down from $4.50 to as low as $3 50, while at the same time the finished beeves are selling almost as high as at any time this summer. with the extreme tops as high as any time this year. A certain result of this rush of poor to half fat cattle to market at this time will be high prices for cattle next winter and spring.

A Cough

"I have made a most thorough trial of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and am prepared to say that for all diseases of the lungs it never disappoints."
J. Early Finley, Ironton, O.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral won't cure rheumatism; we never said it would. It won't cure dyspepsia; we never claimed it. But it will cure coughs and colds of all kinds. We first said this sixty years ago; we've been saying it ever since.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., $1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Ann Turk Dead.

Last Friday this estimable old lady was called from this life to the one beyond the grave. For several years she had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Dohoney, of Militown, Only a short time since she visited a daughter in Louisville and one in Marion county and relatives in Washington county. Shortly after her return home she began to decline in health and last Friday succumbed to the inevitable. She was born and raised in Adair county and a daughter of Mr. N, Bailey, married when quite young to Mr. Calab Turk. who preceeded her to the grave many years ago. Mrs Turk was 79 years of age, a consistent member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. She was buried at Militown last Saturday afternoon. To the sorrowing ones we tender our sincere sympathy. — Columbia Spectator.

Mrs. Turk was the grand mother of Mrs. W. K Marks of this place and had frequently visited here.

J. Odgers of Frostburg, Md., writes: "I had a very bad attack of kidney complaint and tried Foley's Kidney Cure which gave me immediate relief, and I was perfectly cured after taking two bottles." Be sure you take Foley's. Wood & Wimsatt.

Tobacco Market.

Offerings of some very excellent packages of cigarette wrappers during the week served to relieve the dullness of the general market and gave a life to the sales it would have been lacking ir otherwise, for with the exception of colory low tobaccos in perfect condition the market was dull and listless and little changed from the week previous On nothing do we think a quotable change could be noted, as there is no limit to put on sales of packages, as this class of tobacco brings pretty much according to what the purchaser want to pay for it, and at all times a price highly satisfactory to the seller, and more than once during the week have brought more than the seller had expected. There is a demand for this class of goods that not as yet been satisfied and as the new crop promises little of high color, what remains answering this description is likely to bring even higher figures than have yet been recorded, Sales were made as high as $28 50 and many hogsheads sold between these figures and $16. On all else on offer the market was irregular and unsatisfactory to sellers, especially so when not in perfectly sound condition.—Louisville Weed.

The famous Trassy van stake trotted on the third day of the great Lexington trots of Oct. 8 to 18. will be a grand race, Dolly Dillon 2:07 Onward Silver 2:0[illegible], Dolly Bidewell 2; 09¼, All Right 2:09¼, Chain Shot 2;10¼, Neva Simmons 2:11¼, Alan 2:12¼ J. T. 2:12¼, Susie J. 2:12¼. and other stake winners are in the field and it will be a desperate battle for victory,

Found Dead.

Mr. William Norris, a well known man of the other part of the county, was found dead in a corn field belonging to his nephew, Mr. Ed Boone near Howardstown on Wednesday. The supposition is that he dropped dead of heart trouble.

He had been making his home of late with Mr. Boone. The first of the week he dissapeared and no trace of his whereabouts could be ascertained. On Wednesday a member of the Boone family went out in the corn field where the remains of Mr. Norris, lying on the ground, was discovered.

The deceased was about sixty five years of age, and was widely known and popular.—Record.

The Lexington trots commence on Tuesday Oct. 8th and run 10 days. All the sensational horses of the East, West, North and South are entered in the race Half rates on all railroads entering Lexington have been secured. The best music ever heard on a race course will be on tap. Remember the date, October 8 to 18 and attend.

His Life in Peril

"It just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alferd Bee of Welfare, Tex., "billiousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost too worn out to work when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything, have gained in strength and enjoy hard work." They give vigorous health and new life to weak, sickly, run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at Haydon & Robertson's drug store

When suffering from racking cough take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. The soreness will be relieved, and warm, grateful, feeling and healing in the parts affected will be experienced. Wood & Wimsatt.

Lobsters' Eggs.

A fair sized female lobster carries 20,000 eggs at a time. The eggs, when extruded, are covered with a viscid matter which, drawn out into threads, attaches them to the long hairs that fringe the fanlike tail of the mother. These threads quickly become hard and strong, the eggs waving about in the water and being thus aerated. When they are ready to be hatched, the mother lobster oscillates her tail so as to assist the offspring to escape.

The young at first resemble shrimps, being about one-third of an inch in length. They have bright blue eyes. After a few days they desert the mother and swim out into deep water, where they rise to the surface and lead a vagabond sort of existence for thirty or forty days.

During this time the young ones change their shells four times. On the fourth occasion they shed their swimming organs and fall to the bottom, where they remain for the rest of their lives. During their existence as swimmers most of them are gobbled up by fishes, for which they afford a favorite food.

How Things Grow in Hawaii.

How great are the possibilities of Hawaii as a fruit and vegetable growing country will be understood when it becomes known that four crops of potatoes have been produced in succession on the same piece of land within twelve months. Radishes become edible in ten days after sowing. Strawberry vines bear fruit all the year, and the berries are of the finest flavor.

Cabbage grows all the year, and it apparently makes no difference whether it is planted in the spring, summer, autumn or winter. Parsley once sown grows forever apparently. Lima beans continue to grow and bear for over a year, and they have to be gathered every week after starting to bear. Cucumbers bear the entire year, and so do tomatoes, which, with proper attention, bear for years. Raspberries bear for six months.

Pineapples come into bearing when the plants are four months old and bear in abundance for years. Lettuce can be planted at any time, and it develops quickly. The same is true of celery.—Fruit Trade Journal.

Greek Marriage Customs.

The marriage in Constantinople of an Englishman and a Greek woman entails three wedding ceremonies. To be legal it must be performed at the consulate. The couple are legally married there the first day, and on the next a church ceremony is performed in the English church, while the Greek religious ceremony which follows is celebrated at the bride's home. The latter is the only legal form of marriage so far as the bride is concerned.

In the Greek ceremony no ring is used, but the best man places a wreath bound with white satin ribbons on the heads of bride and bridegroom. Then while the priest is pronouncing the words of the service, the couple walk around him in a circle three times holding candles, the best man at intervals changing the wreaths from one head to the other. When all is over, the friends throw small coins or tokens of gold or silver over the wedded pair, and a general scramble ensues among those present to secure the tokens.

After exposure or when you feel a cold comming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Wood & Wimsatt.

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For County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce

T. SCOTT MAYES

As a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Washington county November election 1901.

For Magistrate.

We are authorized to announce

JAMES L. MUDD

As a candidate for Magistrate in the Fredericksburg and Springfield No. 9 Districts. November election 1901.

For Sheriff

We are authorized to announce

BYRON CROAKE

as a candidate for the office of Sheriff Washington county, November election 1901. Deputies, Sidney Osbourne, Ed Masters, Richard Isham.

We are authorized to announce

G. A. DOHONEY

As a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from Washington county, November election 1901.

Senator Deboe and Congressman Vincent Boreing are both in Washington the former to tell the President that Collector Sapp must be retained and the latter to urge his removel in order to save the Republican party in Louisville. The wisest thing to do to promote harmony would be to appoint some good Republican outside of the Louisville district, like John W Lewis of this place. Such a move on the part of the President would not only settle the trouble within the party but would be a just recognition of the services of as faithful a party worker as the State has ever produced.

A mob forcibly entered the jail at Shelbyville Ky., yesterday morning at 1:30 o'clock, siezed Jimbo Fields and Clarence Garnett, negro boys, and swung them from the C. and O. railroad trestle near the depot. Their dead bodies were allowed to hang there until that morning. The boys are charged with stoning to death Will C, Hart, a printer about ten days ago.

The Schley court of inquiry drags its weary way along and the battle of Santiago is being fought all over again. Let us have peace.

At McKinley's Tomb.

A dispatch from Canton, O., says: An attack was made last night on a sentinal guarding the rear of the vault in which the body of the late President McKinley rests by two strangers, one engaging the attention of Sentinel DePrend and the other making a personal assault,

Guard DePrend. about 7:15 o'clock, saw a prowler in the rear of the vault behind a tree and in a shadow. He challauged the fellow and the man remained motionless behind a tree. He was then about forty feet from the soldier. DePrend advanced made a second challenge and brought his gun ready to fire, The man in the meantime had dodged away to a second tree about ten feet distant from the first. The soldier renewed his challange and fired, but as he did so a hard blow was given the gun and the aim missed. A second man had stealthily come up to the soldier and dealt the blow.

At the same time man No 2 struck the soldier with a heavy instrument in the back and attempted to stab him. A gash, "L"-shaped and about two inches long each way, was cut through the clothing, including the overcoat, and a small scratch was made on DePrend's body. The blow was so hard that DePrend was knockd down a hill and was unable to gain his feet before the fellows dissappeared n the darkness, Lieut Ashbridge, who was officer of the day, as soon as he heard the challange and shot, rushed to the assistance of the guard. He was followed by other soldiers.

The sentinal attacked however was in the rear of the vault on a hill and before the relief force could climb the hill the men had escaped.

A hunt was made for the prowers, but no trace of them could be found. The vault is only a short distance from the west end of the cemetery, and the men evidently escaped from there in to the fields and woods nearby.

The man who dodged about the trees, DePrend says, had a shining weapon in one hand and a package done up in white in the other. He says he could recognize the man if ever seen again. The man who attacked him was masked.

That Capt. Biddle believes that an attempt was made to blow the vault to pieces is shown by the fact that he put on an extra guard around the vault and in various portions of the cemetery last night. All the men of the company, seventy five in number, were ordered to be ready to turn out on the first alarm sounded.

While the greatest reticence is observed by the officers of the guard at the McKinley tomb relative to the mysterious incident of last night it is learned that no clue leading to the identity of the marauders has as yet been discovered. Capt. Biddle, who is in command of the guard is making a thorough investigation to day.

You Can Lead a Horse

to water but you can't make him drink.

You can't make him eat either. You can stuff food into a thin man's stomach but that doesn't make him use it.

Scott's Emulsion can make him use it. How? By making him hungry, of course. Scott's Emulsion makes a thin body hungry all over. Thought a thin body was naturally hungry didn't you? Well it isn't. A thin body is asleep—not working—gone on a strike. It doesn't try to use it's food.

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Send for free sample.

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In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Hopkins county mines to surrender their arms, but everything is in readiness for this move. All is quiet today.

This is the last day of the Louisville conference of the M. E. Church, South, at Bowling Green. It is said that the assignments will probably not be announded before this evening. Several changes of well known ministers are said to be in prospect.

PUBLIC SALE

I will on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1901,

At 9 o'clock a.m., on the farm known as the James Yates farm 4½ miles from Springfield on Cartwrights Creek, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the following described property:

Three head of good work horses, 1 work mule, 1 combined mare, 2 cows and calves, 3 dry cows, 6 two-year-old steers (good grade, 1 two-year-old heifer, 1 three year old Shorthorn bull, 7 head good butcher cattle, one splendid brood sow and 9 pigs, 12 feeding hogs, 65 acres corn in field, about 2000 bundles oats, 65 acres stalk field with 18 acres grazing grass in field, 1 two-horse wagon, 1 spring wagon, 1 buggy, good as new and harness, also household and kitchen furniture.

Terms—All sums of $5 and under cash, over that amount on six months time with interest from date, negotiable and payable in either bank of Springfield.

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$16,000 Ky. Futurity, Tuesday, October 8.

$30,000 Abbot-Boralma Match Wednesday, Oct. 9.

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Kentucky Clips.

Col. W. W. Baldwin, of Maysville was seriously injured at Lexington by the falling of a scantling from a painter's scaffold.

The New Bethel Baptist church, built on the site where Jefferson Davis was born, at Fairview, was dedicated yesterday

The next Kentucky conference of the Methodist church will be held in Trinity church, in Louisville.

Gen. Murray has not yet given the order for the guards at the

Sheriffs Sale FOR TAXES.

By virtue of taxes due the State of Kentucky and county of Washington I will as Sheriff offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Springfield on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1901,

at about 1 o'clock p.m., the following property or so much thereof as will satisfy the amount of tax and costs, to-wit:

Pottsville District—Debo Boswell, for the years 1899, 1900 and 1901, amount of taxes and costs $9.30.

Pottsville—Colored—Mary Edelen's heirs, for the 1896 to 1901, inclusive. Amount of taxes and cost, $10.95.

H. B. POWELL.
Sheriff of Washington Co.

O'Kelly Shop District—S. G. Hardesty on land for years 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901 taxes and costs $128.00.

BYRON CROAK, D. S. W. C.

QUEER OPTICAL ILLUSION.

An Interesting Experiment With a Pencil and a Wire Screen.

Professor R. W. Wood recently described a rather startling optical illusion which any one may see with a little practice. A lead pencil is held point up an inch or two in front of a wire screen with a sky background. If the eyes are converged upon the pencil point, the wire gauze becomes somewhat blurred and, of course, doubled.

As the gauze has a regularly recurring pattern, however, the two images can be united and, with a little effort, can be accommodated for distinct vision of the combined images of the mesh. As soon as accommodation is secured the mesh becomes perfectly sharp and appears to be nearly in the plane of the pencil point.

If now the pencil is moved away from the eyes, which are to be kept fixed on the screen, it apparently passes through the mesh and becomes doubled. If now the pencil is removed entirely, it will be found that the sharp images of the combined images of the gauze persist, although the eyes be moved nearer to or farther away from the screen.

Now bring the eyes up to within six or eight inches of the plane in which the mesh appears to be and attempt to touch it with the finger. It is not there. The finger falls upon empty space, the screen being in reality a couple of inches farther off.

"This," says Professor Wood, "is by all means the most startling illusion I have ever seen, for we apparently see something occupying a perfectly definite position in space before our eyes, and yet if we attempt to put our finger on it we find that there is nothing there."—Exchange.

BEE BUZZES.

One-fourth of an acre may contain 150 colonies of bees.

An apiary should not be placed on ground thickly set with trees.

Bees secrete wax only when necessary to furnish storage room for honey or brood.

The secretion of one pound of wax necessitates the consumption of twenty pounds of honey.

When a queen is gone, it will be only a few days until the colony will cease to store much surplus honey.

Sometimes, toward the close of the honey season, the bees will destroy the queen cells or kill all of the queens but one, thus destroying the incentive to swarm.

Care must be taken to see that there is a queen in every colony. If she gets lost or is killed, another must be put in her place, as the colony will run down very fast if left queenless.

Never feed bees during the day, it matters not whether there be one colony or many. It causes confusion, and the bees frequently get cross and go to stinging anything they come near.

In getting bees that have swarmed back into a hive much loss may be prevented by stretching a piece of strong canvas on the ground and setting the hive upon it and then shaking the bees on it.

One of Florence's Jokes.

That genial comedian W. J. Florence had a habit of promising a man a fish or some game when he was about starting on a hunting or fishing trip. Day after day would pass, and the game would not be forthcoming. But almost every day a letter or telegram would come saying that Florence had not forgotten; that Florence was just about sending the game; that there was no cause for worry, as a fine fish or deer was on its way to the express office. At first this solicitousness would cause courteous letters and telegrams in return. As the delay got longer the victim would get impatient and would finally be literally haunted by huge fishes or deer, "with the compliments of W. J. Florence." Then some fine day, when it was least expected, the fish or deer would come.

Beef Tea.

It is the suggestion of a trained nurse, whose beef tea was most acceptable to a patient to whom in any previous illness it had been repellent, that the beef should be broiled before the juice is extracted. A thick, lean, juicy steak from the round is broiled over a clear fire perhaps two minutes on each side, after which it is cut up into small squares, put into a saucepan, covered with cold water and set on the back of the stove, where it should steep, not boil, for fully two hours. Remember not to add the salt until the dish is taken from the fire and serve it hot unless, of course, it is to be offered as cold or iced beef tea.

Are Willow Trees Lightning Proof?

"In all my forty years' experience with trees and plants," said a well known gardener, "I have yet to hear of a willow tree being struck by lightning. Spruce trees, whitewood and pine trees sometimes almost seem to attract the electricity, and oak and other large trees and even many small trees are often maimed and killed. But willow trees seem for some reason to be immune to death or injury in this shape, and I have never seen or even heard of a tree of this family which lightning has ever struck."—Cleveland Leader.

J. Odgers of Frostburg, Md., writes: "I had a very bad attack of kidney complaint and tried Foley's Kidney Cure which gave me immediate relief and I was perfectly cured after taking two bottles." Be sure you take Foley's. Wood & Wimsatt.

Blunt.

"I should like to go to my mother-in-law's funeral this afternoon, sir," said the bookkeeper to the "old man."

"So should I," replied the proprietor as he turned to his desk again.—Tit-Bits.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.

MOTHERHOOD

The greatest ambition of American men and women is to have homes blessed with children. The woman afflicted with female disease is constantly menaced with becoming a childless wife. No medicine can restore dead organs, but Wine of Cardui does regulate derangements that prevent conception; does prevent miscarriage; does restore weak functions and shattered nerves and does bring babies to homes barren and desolate for years. Wine of Cardui gives women the health and strength to bear healthy children. You can get a dollar bottle of Wine of Cardui from your dealer.

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143 Market Street, Memphis, Tenn., April 14, 1901.

In February, 1901, I took one bottle of Wine of Cardui and one package of Thedford's Black-Draught. I had been married fifteen years and had never given birth to a child until I took Wine of Cardui. Now I am mother of a fine baby girl which was born March 31, 1901. The baby weighs fourteen pounds and I feel as well as any person could feel. Now my home is happy and I never will be without Wine of Cardui in my house again. Mrs. J. W. C. SMITH.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department", The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

THE HANDY FOLDING RULE.

An Old Standby of the Mechanic In Greater Demand Than Ever.

"There are about a million different kinds of rules," said a dealer in hardware and tools, "the rules being something of well nigh universal use in one form or another in pretty much all trades, but here's one old standby that we sell more of now than ever, this being the folding rule.

"There are plenty of rules that fold, the commonly known two foot rule being a familiar example, but this particular old rule that I speak of is known by name as the folding rule.

"It is made in foot long sections, in various lengths, ranging from two to ten feet and over ten, if required, but three feet, five feet, any number of feet, the rule, whatever its total length, folds up completely into a bundle a foot long. The slats are thin and folded up, and even a ten foot rule takes up little room. It can be quite conveniently carried in the pocket.

"Lots of people use folding rules—plumbers, for instance, in measuring pipes and in measuring places for pipes. In measuring a distance greater than the spread of the arms with a tape two men are required, but one man can measure with a folding rule as far as the rule can reach, and with such a rule he can, single handed, measure around corners or in the angles of wall and ceiling or in any other bend or crevice. We sell lots of them nowadays to electricians, who use them in measuring for wiring houses, and we sell them to various other users, the six foot rule being the one most commonly sold.

"Such rules, of whatever length, are sold by the foot, at 8 cents a foot."—New York Sun.

FLOWER AND TREE.

Pruning to excess or too frequent or too long is weakening to the tree.

When a branch is removed, the cutting should be close, leaving no stub.

The apple, pear, quince and thorn can be grafted one on another, with varying success.

Wormy fruit in the orchard is best disposed of by the sheep. They eat all without making any choice, as pigs do.

Planting a few trees every fall or spring, as may be convenient, helps materially to keep up a supply of good fruit.

The cherry, peach, apricot, nectarine and almond require a light, dry and warm soil, but may be grown on loose, sandy soils.

Saltpeter is recommended as a quick acting fertilizer for flower beds that seem to be languishing, especially those that show small and pale leafage.

Peach and plum trees are both less liable to diseases when grown in the poultry yard. The trees will make a better growth and at the same time afford shade for the fowls.

Geraniums that have been used for summer bloomers will not flower again until the late spring months. Geraniums for winter blooming should be grown especially for that purpose by keeping the flower buds nipped off until August.

Love at First Sight.

We talk of love at first sight, but what shall we say of people who have never seen each other marrying and being not unhappy? "Courting," said an Irishman, "is like dying—sure a man must do it for himself."

In some countries—as, for instance, Sweden—this is not the case. There the marriages of young people are made for them by their parents, and they only begin to court when they are wedded. This sounds wrong and absurd in theory, but it often works well in practice. Indeed young people ask the advice of their parents much too little about that which is perhaps the most serious and important undertaking in life—marriage. Too many of them are like the young lady who said she hoped she might be cut into ten thousand triangles if she did not know more of everything than did her mother. So they consult no one and insist on gaining experience at a great cost to themselves.—Philadelphia Ledger.

An Alphabetical Ad.

The Schoolmaster has discovered this alphabetical advertisement in an issue of the London Times in 1842: "To widowers and single gentlemen—Wanted by a lady a situation to superintend the household and preside at table. She is Agreeable, Becoming, Careful, Desirable, English, Facetious, Generous, Honest, Industrious, Judicious, Keen, Lively, Merry, Natty, Obedient, Philosophic, Quiet, Regular, Sociable, Tasteful, Useful, Vivacious, Womanish, Xantippish, Youthful, Zealous, etc. Address X Y Z, Simmons' Library, Edgeware Road."

Chas R. Wessmar, Evanstown, Ill., writes: "My boy 1½ years old had a severe cold which refused to yeild to any treatment until we tried Foley's Honey and Tar. He was completely cured before useing one bottle." Take none but Foley's.

QUEER OLD FLASKS.

New York Wine Merchant Has an Interesting Collection.

There is an old wine merchant in New York who has a curious collection of old bottles.

One, which he believes to be the oldest bottle used for holding liquor in this country, came from Nassau, in the Bahamas, originally filled with snuff. It is made of a coarse, seaweed colored glass and is shaped somewhat like a chestnut standing upright upon its broad end. There is a broad bottomed bottle which held madeira in Charleston in 1810 and a Viennese bottle 125 years old, whose slender, graceful curves have been supplanted today by a more commercial shape. The first American gin bottle, from the Schuchadt estate, has a pouter pigeon shape, which is delightful to the eye.

Among the later bottles are some which constitute the product of the bottle maker's art when impressed glass came into use. On each side figures are molded into the glass. There are a number of "railroad bottles." On one a wagon running on rails and drawn by a horse is depicted on both sides, with the motto, "Success to the Railroad." On another the same primitive arrangements are shown, commemorating the railroad at Lowell, and on the reverse of the bottle a spread eagle imbedded in thirteen stars.

George Washington figures on one bottle, upon the reverse of which was Zachary Taylor, who, so says the glass, "never surrenders." A spread eagle and what appears to be a Masonic shrine, a fruit basket and horn of plenty and two trees, one in leaf, the other bare, representing "summer" and "winter," are both two faced designs. A large, round bottle, which in these days would contain Holland gin, is impressed with a series of monks at their prayers. It was called the "apostles' bottle," but it drew fire from the pope, who had it put, by edict, out of general use.—American Wine Press.

ENGLAND'S SEA GYPSIES.

A Strange Little Tribe That Lives Always on Boats.

A strange and almost unknown part of the population (if it can be called that) of the British isles is the queer semiwild folk known as sea gypsies. Real gypsies they are, differing from their fellow gypsies in the fact that they always live on the sea and that, never having mingled with landsmen, their type is much purer and more nearly resembles the original.

There are about 500 sea gypsies in Britain. They cruise along the coast, seldom touching the land. but always close to it, in old and weatherbeaten craft that may have carried their grandfathers.

When the tide is out, the old craft will often drop anchor by a sand bank island far out at sea, and her crew will grub for cockles with their hands, filling a score of baskets, but saying nothing to each other, for they are almost out of the habit of speech. They find fifty shellfish where the ordinary fisherman finds one, but they rarely do the same thing two days running, and in the next hour they may be snaring rabbits on a headland miles away.

The sea gypsies are wild eyed and thickset. Their hair is always either jet black or golden. They are still of almost pure Norse or Danish descent, never having used the land and mixed with the shore folk to any extent. Their hands seem to be all thumbs instead of fingers, so powerful and stubby are the digits, because they have done nothing but haul ropes and dig in the wet sand.—New York Press.

Tried and Convicted Too.

Politics in the west, even more than in the east, says the author of "Life and Sport In California," is a profession. I remember two men who were candidates for the office of district attorney. One had served before; the other was a young man conducting his first campaign.

The veteran was speaking in a small town, and after setting forth his own claims he spoke as follows of his opponent:

"I understand that Mr. X. is in every sense a worthy and honorable man, but I ask you to remember that he has never been tried—he has never been tried."

"That's so!" exclaimed a voice. "You've been tried, old man, haven't you—and convicted, too, you know?"

After due inquiry it appeared that the veteran had been, indeed, indicted for horse stealing and convicted. He was not elected.

Norway Fairies.

"Like the Japanese," writes William E. Curtis in the Chicago Herald, "the Norwegians are very superstitious, and as in Japan the forests, the mountains and the gorges are peopled with fairies. Nissen is the good fairy of the farmers. He looks after the cattle particularly, and if he is well treated they are healthy and the cows give lots of milk. To propitiate him it is necessary to put a dish of porridge on the threshold of the cow stable on Christmas morning. Whenever the family moves this invisible being goes along with them and sits on the top of the loads."

Reason For Dislike.

Wife—Mr. Black has no more taste in the matter of dress than a giraffe.

Husband—Why do you say that?

Wife—Because his wife had on the most beautiful gown last night, and when I admired it he said he thought it was dreadful.

Husband—But, my dear, he had to pay $320 for it.—Detroit Free Press.

Of a Large Class.

Simkins—Bilkins junior strikes me as being a very promising young man.

Timkins—Yes; more promising than paying.—Chicago News.

Hands Off.

"What have you got that sign 'Hands Off' posted outside your works for?" asked the curious individual.

"Because," returned the jocular mill owner, "my men are on strike."—Philadelphia Record.

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This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It prevents formation of gas on the stomach, relieving all distress after eating. Dieting unnecessary. Pleasant to take.

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Washington's Fastidious Kinsman.

Lawrence, earl of Ferrers, a distant relative of George Washington, had a most tyrannical temper, and one day in a fit of passion he cut down with his sword his steward, an old gentleman named Johnson. The latter had given no provocation for the deed, and the crime was an act of brutality inexcusable save that the earl may not have been well balanced mentally. He was brought to trial for killing Johnson and demanded and received the privilege of being tried by his peers.

The house of lords was thronged during the hearing. The evidence proved to be conclusive, and Ferrers was sentenced to be hanged at Tyburn. Appeals were made to the king for clemency, but in vain. Ferrers met his fate with considerable bravado. He was carefully attired for the occasion and insisted on providing a silken cord for the ceremony. To this whim the executioner agreed, and the earl was turned off otherwise like any other felon.

A Professor on Rowing.

A story is told about a well known Oxford don who knew more about the travels of Ulysses than about the boat he sailed in. He went down to the river one day to watch the eight practicing. He gazed for awhile in silence. "Yes," he said at last, "they look very nice—very nice indeed, I may say—but how extremely awkward it must be for them to learn to row backward."

Crying and Groaning.

According to a French physician, crying and groaning in pain are nature's own methods of subduing the keenness of physical suffering. He thinks that men should freely relieve their sufferings in this way and that crying in children should not be repressed, as in doing so serious consequences may be engendered.

Lycurgus being asked why, in his laws, he had set down no punishment for ingratitude, answered, "I have left it to the gods to punish."

America's Superior Schools.

In spite of excessive decentralization and the lack of a regulative central authority America has, by making education a local concern, by confiding to each district the organization and control of its schools, by insisting on free public schools in the true sense of these much abused words, created a system which, in spite of its crudeness and obvious imperfections, may yet excite our envy, both as it brings education, secondary as well as primary, within the reach of all and as it is capable of infinite self development and progress, unshackled by the dead hand of ecclesiasticism and departmental routine.—London Chronicle.

The Tobacco Habit.

Chewing tobacco is a filthy habit. Smoking makes you so foul that you can smell yourself. Tobacco is very injurious to health. Every user of tobacco tries to quit it and finds it very difficult. Boys see their elders trying to quit, yet boys make themselves sick in acquiring the tobacco habit.—Atchison Globe.

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No. 1. 350 acre farm 1 mile from Springfield, on a good road. This farm is in high state of cultivation, has a house with 8 rooms, 2 halls, all necessary outbuildings, first-class tobacco barn and will certainly make some one a fine home.

No. 5. 216 acre farm 3 miles from Springfield on pike, fairly good improvement, land in good state of cultivation and well watered, $25 per acre.

No. 6 137½ acre farm, 5½ miles from Springfield, land in fine state of cultivation, first class farm house, 2 story, 8 rooms, 2 halls, fine well, good barn and crib, and all outbuildings price $37.50

No. 10 Farm of 304 acres good improvements, well fenced and watered. Price $40 per acre.

No. 11 304 acre farm 3¼ miles from Springfield, first class brick house 8 rooms, 3 halls, good stock and tobacco barn, crib and granery, well fenced, price $40 per acre

No 12 200 acre farm 7 miles from Springfield at Texas, small dwelling and barn, fine land, all in grass, price $35 per acre.

No. 13 140 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield all improved except house first class land, price $40

No 14 338 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield, Good 6 room dwelling house large stock and tobacco barn, price $25 per acre

No 15 220 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield, good dwelling house 7 rooms, large stock and tobacco barn, first class tenant house, good land price $30 per acre

No 16 277 acre farm 10 miles from Springfield, new improvements of every kind, good tenant house and tobacco barn, near good school and church, price $25 per acre

No 17 301 acre farm 7 miles from Springfield, good improvement of every kind, in good state of cultivation near school, church or postoffice, price 28 per acre.

No 20 146 acre farm 1½ from Springfield good 5 room dwelling, good stock barn and crib, first class well and orchard, price $25 per acre

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NOTICE.

WASHINGTON CIRCUIT COURT
W. F. Neikirk assignee of J. A Lankford
vs
J. A. Lankford, &c.

The creditors of J. A, Lankford are notified to prove and file their claims before me at my office in Springfield on or before October 1st 1901.

THOS. W. SIMMS, JR.,
tf M. C. W. C. C.

Notice to Taxpayers.

All persons indebted to myself or deputies for taxes for the years 1898,1899 and 1900 are here by notified, that unless settlement is made within the next 60 days their property will be advertised and sold. Further indulgence cannot be given. The taxes for 1901 are now due and I am ready to receive the same.

H. B. Powell, Sheriff.
July 27-1901.

Farm for Sale.

194 acres, 60 acres first-class creek bottom, good 6 room dwelling house, barn and all other outbuildings, located on good pike, close to school and churches, has upon the place over 400 rods of rock fence, 25 acres of timber up land in good state of cultivation. Price $4,000 on easy payment. For further particulars call on G. C. Wharton Springfield, Ky.

ABOUT TOWN.

Latest in fall millinery at Mansfields.

Fresh fish and oysters every Friday at J. A. Shader's.

First class seed wheat for sale at Thompson & Lake's.

One Curtis and Reed phaeton for sale. Apply to John C. Shader.

Fresh bread, baked daily, on sale. Five cents per loaf or six loaves for a quarter. J. A. Shader.

The Ladies Missionary Society will meet on next Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. R. McElroy.

The Washington county Colored Teachers Association will meet at the colored school building this place on next Saturday.

Mansfield is showing a very large and attractive line of tailor made suits, elegant skirts and waists, fine dress goods and cloaks.

Mr, T. Scott Mayes sold at the Inter-State Fair, a fine young Hereford bull calf for $125. He also sold another privately for $150.

The pupils of the Springfield Colored School under Miss Givens as teacher recieved the prize for the best Drill at the colordd fair.

The Washington County Court of Claims is in session this week with all the magistrates present. Allowing of claims and routine business is being transacted.

FOR SALE—First class farm of 190 acres near railroad and turn pike, convenient to churches and schools. For particulars apply to W. K. Marks at lumber yard. 6t

Don't forget the S. B Thompson sale Wednesday and Thursday October 9 and 10. He will offer a choice lot of cattle, horses hogs, Shetland ponies and other products of the farm,

Col. R. E. Whayne says that although he has several engagements to cry sales this month that he is open for many more. The Colonel is an all round hustler and up-to-date auctioneer.

Goddard Grundy of this county took two fine young Shorthorn bulls to the Interstate Fair and after capturing a premium of $20 on one sold them both. Goebel a two year old was sold for $185 and Jumbo a yearling brought $105.

Marriage licenses have been issued recently to the following who have married in this county: A, S. Johnston and Miss May B. Blanford: J. E. Graves and Miss Mary Teresa Cecil; Thos B. Baker and Mrs. Emina Edgerton; R. N. Ward and Miss Sarah Hatchett.

The L. & N. will sell round trip tickets at one fare to Louisvilld on Oct. 21st and 22nd final limit Oct. 24th, on account of State Confederate Reunion Round trip tickets to Owensboro at one fare will also be sold on same dates on account of Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias.

The protracted meetings which have been conducted by Dr. Dawes of Louisville at the Baptist church came to a close on last Thursday night. The meetings resulted in several conversions and quite a number were baptized and taken into the membership of the church on last Sunday night.

The Washington County Teachers Institute is in session this week at the public school building. Prof. C. A. Bader of Bowling Green is conducting and about sixty teachers of the county are in attendance. The proceedings are both interesting and instructive and we will endeavor to have a full account of the session in our next week's issue

News was received by relatives here this week of the death of William Ryan, a former Washington County man, who died on September 27th, at his home in Monroe county, Mo. Will Ryan is well remembered here. He was a son of Mr, W. T. Ryan of this place and left here 8 years ago and made his home in Missouri. He was about 40 years of age and leaves a widow and three children.

Henry Hart and John Suesbury, two negroes well known about the town and county committed a caper one day last week which will doubtless cost them a trip "over the road" when they are caught and brought to trial. It seems that on Friday of last week two negroes drove into Lebanon a bunch of eight shoats and offered them for sale to some live stock buyers. The trade was made and while the hogs were being weighed, the negroes were suddenly alarmed and skipped out, leaving the hogs. It was soon discovered that the men took fright at the sight of the town marshall who had appeared on the scene Their suspicious actions caused an invesgation and it was later discovered that the hogs had been stolen. Seven of the animals belonged to St. Rose farm and one was the property of Mr. Martin Simpson The hogs have been returned to the owners and the officers are after the theives Suesbury was seen here on Saturday and Sunday but he has dissapeared since.

An account of the memorial meeting held at the Presbyterian church this place on the day of the funeral of President McKinley was overlooked in making up the paper last week. The meeting although gotten up on short notice was well attended and the speeches were good and appropriate to the occasion. Rev. Lloyd conducted the meeting and made a few remarks and other speakers were Rev. Dawes, Hon. John W. Lewis and W. F. Neikirk.

In Trouble Again.

The case against Rudolph Schelm, who was arrested at the instance of Belle Seffler, who charged him with grand larceny, was dismissed to-day in the Police Court for lack of evidence. Schlem is a well known young man, and is employed by Karl Bierach & Co. He says the arrest was a case of blackmail. The woman charged him with taking $80 from her room on Third street during a visit.—Louisville Times,

Schlem is the same young fellow who was here a couple of weeks ago and told a sensational tale about being held up and robbed on the road between this place and Lebanon, His story, at that time was regarded as a pure fake and it evidently was.

Robt. Campbell Dead.

After an illness of about four weeks of typhoid fever Robert E. Campbell died at his home, this place, on last Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The news of this sad death caused a general feeling of sorrow throughout the community where the young man was known and was a favorite with all and many expressions of sympathy, for the bereaved young wife and other relatives, were heard. Robert Campbell was twenty-three years of age and for several years he had been a valued employee at the Mill of Jarboe & Campbell. In February 1899 he was married to Miss Carrie Settles daughter of Mr. B. F. Settles of this county. He was a son of Mr. F. M. Campbell Circuit Court Clerk of this county.

The funeral took place at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning and was largely attended. About twenty young men all intimate friends and associates of the deceased acted as pall bearers. Rev. R. E. C. Lawson delivered the funeral sermon and Rev. G, W. Swope of the Baptist church assisted at the services.

House for Sale.

I wish to sell my house and lot in Springfield near the L.& N. depot. House contains eight rooms. There is about one acre of ground on lot, fine spring, two stables, good garden and all necessary improvements. For further particulars call on or address J. A. Hendren, Springfield, Ky.

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House with lot containing 2¼ acres of ground, situated on the Bloomfield pike 2½ miles from town. Good house with all neccessary outbuildings.

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Mrs. Emma Dorsey.
Springfield, Ky

Public Auction

I will sell thirty nice Montana mares at public auction at Mackville Ky., Saturday, October 5th, 1901. Sale to begin promptly at 10 o'clock a.m.

W. J. DEBAUM.

PERSONAL

Dr, W. C. Grigsby is visiting relatives in Illinois this week.

Mr. S. S. Durrett of Clark's Station Ky., was here on Monday last.

Mrs. John W. Lewis has returned from a visit to relatives in Louisville.

Miss Laura McChord left last week for Chicago where she will resume her studies in music,

Mrs. A. R. Shults and little daughter have gone to Bloomington, Ind., to visit relatives,

Mrs. J. C. McElroy, Mrs, H. R. Thompson and Miss Ina Kimberlin were in Louisville last week.

Mrs. Lily Handy of Sherman, Texas who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks has returned home.

Mrs. J, M. Mayes who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. R. Claybrooke in the county has returned to her home at Columbia, S. C.

Sam H. Jones, of Kanas, who has been on a visit to relatives in this place returned home last Monday. Sam is a Washington county boy, and is an employe of the Mo. Pacific R. R. and is stationed at John Brown's historic home—Osawatomia.

MOORESVILLE,

From Our Special Correspondent.

Born. On September 24, to the wife of Jerome Trent an 8-lb girl, Mary Martha. Both mother and babe are doing well.

Farmers are cutting up corn and sowing wheat this week.

Mrs. Kate Eielen of Bardstown visited friends here last week.

Miss Lida Arnold of Lancaster is visiting Mrs. Birdie Settle this week.

Mr, D. M. Boblit is on the sick list.

Real estate transfer Mrs, Jean Tucker to a Mr. Milburn 100 acres of land for $900. Mr. Gabe Keightley to Mr, Lige Farris 160 acres at $30 per acre, same to Mr. George Edwards 150 acres at $30 per acre Mr, Farris ge s the improvements.

Mr Earnest Menar has returned to Louisville.

Mr, J. L. Moore was in Louisville last week on business.

Mr. J, W, Tucker will remove to Springfield this week. We hear Mr, Thos. Sweeney of Cooney Neck will occupy the place Mr. Tucker vacates.

Mr. J. M. Wall sold a suckling horse mule colt to Mr. Richard Murphy for $95. Jas Smith sold a mare mule colt to John A. Tucker for $65,

There has been four car loads of coal shipped to Booker and three more have been ordered.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Robert Campbell. He leaves a wife to whom we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Mr, W. H. Payne purchased of Gabe Keightly the blacksmith shop, dwelling and store house, also about four acres of ground for $300 cash.

POLIN

From Our Regular Correspondent.

A nice gentle rain fell here Saturday.

Mr, T. J. Trent and son Erastus, were in our village last week on business.

Mr. Coleman Hardesty and sisters, Misses Ollie and Lida from Blandinsville, Ill are visiting their many relatives and friends in this county.

Miss Amanda Vanarsdale of Perryville is spending this week at the Russel home.

Mr. Lytle Kays of your town is here this week as the guest of his brother.

Miss Ollie Harbesty was the pleasant guest of Misses Mary and Fannie Hays last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. G. T. Russel and sister, Miss Rilla have returned from a trip to Harrodsburg.

Mr. John McAlvoy and wife passed through here last Thursday from Louisville, where Miss McAlvoy has been buying her fall millinery goods.

Miss Luda White of Perryville is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Perry of Iowa, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Bush.

Mrs. Borders of Louisville, is the pleasant guest of her sister, Mrs. Trotter.

Mrs. Barba Crouch, of Willisburg, spent Monday with Mrs. R, J. Crouch of this place.

"A resort from Supt. J. C. Gluck Reform School, Pruntytown, W. Va. Oct 18th, 1901. "After trying all other advertised cough medicines we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform School. I find it the most effective, and absolutely harmless.

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In Memory of Robert Campbell.

"Unto all men it is appointed once to die."

Inevitable as is the universal sentence, death ever comes as a surprise. Mysterious, coming we know not when nor why, taking the babe from the mother's breast, or loosing the burden from the back that is bent, hushing the laugh of the gay, silencing the sigh of the sad, depising not the humblest hut, sparing not the palace proud.—all alike, must follow where it leads.

We know not why birth and death were part of God's plan, We strive to look into the gloom to find some star to guide, but dimly do we see.—Life is so brief—eternity so enduring; an act so short—its consequences never ending, Not in doubt, nor yet in despair, we humbly say;—

"Thou wilt not leave us in the dust—
Thou madest man we know not why;
He believes he was not made to die—
Thou madest him, and Thou art just."

When our allotted four score years and ten are spent, death seems not quite so harsh; but when but half the course is run, when hopes are high, and hearts are strong—when tender ties would chain us here—it's harder then to die. Is it that God would have all ages there? We would not question—we ask not why—only we would that the Voice divine might speak to our troubled hearts, and teach them to be still.

We all mourn for the loving husband, the gentle brother, the devoted son, the faithful friend. We weep our loss—he feels his gain, Our eyes are blinded by our tears—his made bright by having all tears wiped away. We miss him so—the widow, desolate in her grief—the father, sorrowing for his son—brothers and sisters yearning for the touch of a vanished hand, and the sound of a voice that is still To them He speaks, who knows the bitterness of their sorrow: "What I do ye know not now, but ye shall know hereafter."

What boots it that we praise the dead? Those who knew his virtues will not forget—his friends will bless his memory. Many a silent prayer will plead for him, where life's deeds are judged. An angel mother, a cherub babe will not leave him long a stranger there, and some day he shall greet us there, for;

"Love will hope and Faith will trust,
(Since He who willed it is so just)
That, sometimes meet again we must."

A FRIEND.

WILLISBURG

From our Regular Correspondent

Mr. C, R. Cheatham and wife are spending the week with their son, Dr. Luther Cheatham in Louisville.

Miss Kate Williams, who has been visiting Miss. Lulu Wilson has returned to her home in Perryville.

Miss Lulu Merritt is visiting her sister in Louisville.

Mrs. Ed. Sutherland is visiting relatives in Harrodsburg this week.

Dr. Will Hyatt and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with relatiys in Bloomfield.

There will be an oyster supper given at this place, Saturday night, Oct. 12th for the benefit of the church.

Miss Sallie Sutherland was the guest of friends at Dugansville last week.

Hon. W. Fred Grigsby, the Republican candidate for Representative, was here last week greeting his many friends with a warm hand shake. He is worthy of the position to which he aspires and we wish him utmost success.

Mr. Andrew Lewis and Miss Lulu Thompson were married Sunday, Elder J. A, Simms officiating.

Miss Eliza Baker aged 14. daughter of Chas and Jane Baker, died Sept. 28th of typhoid fever. Interment at Rockbridge on the following day.

Miss Lulu Wilson is the guest of friends in Perryville this week,

We feel like saying a word in regard to the lamented President McKinley. His sad death has thrown the nation into mourning. The fall of that great and good man is due to the fact that the assassin belonged to a class who openly avowed their opposition to our Republican form of government. They are the scum of other nations that have swept with the tide of emigration into our country, There should be rigid laws passed to prevent their comming here, and every anarchist sentiment heard should be treated as treason against our government and these serpents in human guise should be dealt with severely.

S. S. Association

The following is the program of the annual convention of the Washington County S. S. Association to be held at Hillsboro Saturday October 5, 1901:

10:00 Opening exercises
10:15 Appointment of Committees
10:20 Object and Purpose of the Washington Co. S. S. Association. C. W. Stallings.
10:40 Relation of Parent to the S. School, Rev. H. H, Lloyd.
11:00 Song Service
11:15 The necessary requirements of a live Sunday School. Rev. B. Couch.
11:30 Discussion.
11:45 Song Service
Dinner,
1:30 Report of Secretary. T. J. Settles Roll call of Schools and Report of Committees
1:40 Election of Officers for the ensuing year.
2:00 The Superintendent and his School. Judge W. E. Seleeman
2:15 Discussion
2:30 How to interest the young men in the S. School. W. F. Grigsby
2:44 Song Service
3:00 Music in the Sunday School, Rev. G. W. Swope
3:20 Discussion
3:30 The Sunday School Teacher. Rev. W. Ezra Sutherland
3:45 The work of Kentucky Sunday School Association. Rev. W. T. Overstreet
Benediction.

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$2,50 to $3.00
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65c to $5.00
CHILD'S OVERCOAT
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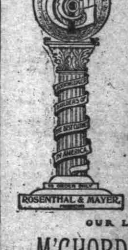

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LIGHTNING FLASHES.

HOW THEY ARE EVOLVED AND THE ENERGY THEY POSSESS.

Inhabitants of Compactly Built Cities Have Little Cause to Fear These Mysterious and Destructive Balls From the Clouds.

Without doubt lightning was the first electrical phenomenon that was observed by human beings. To this day it remains the least known and least understood of natural electrical manifestations except, perhaps, the aurora.

There is a vast deal of popular misconception concerning the danger of lightning and the nature of it. The lightning flash is a discharge from a cloud at a high potential with reference to the earth. When the atmosphere is charged with water vapor and some eddy or current in its colder upper strata is deflected downward, causing condensation, exceedingly minute drops of water are formed, each bearing an electrical charge. The consolidation of these into larger drops results in a very great increment of the potential static charge since the capacity of the drop varies with its diameter and the volume of the drop with the cube of the diameter.

The consequence of this is that it takes, for example, eight drops consolidated to make one of twice the diameter of the constituent drops, and the charge on the surface of the consolidated drop will be four times as great as that upon the surfaces of its elements. In this way, as the small water particles unite to form drops which fall as rain, the potential of the charge they carry increases until it attains enormous values, and the lightning flash leaps to the earth, which may be regarded simply as a body of very great electrostatic capacity. The discharge, which is called lightning, is apt to be more or less destructive, although the energy of an individual flash is perhaps not very great. Often the conditions are such that the discharge takes on an oscillating character, producing violent surgings of current. No very accurate measurements have been made upon the current involved, but it is taken to be of the order of 1,000 to 5,000 amperes. The electro motive force necessary to cause a flash a mile long is probably several million volts, and of course the power of the flash measured in watts is very great, but its duration is correspondingly short.

Protection of property and life from lightning flashes has been a subject that has entrained the attention of natural philosophers since Franklin sent up his historic kite. The net result of more than a century of attempt to secure protection has been the lightning rod in its more or less inefficient forms and the discovery that buildings of modern construction, having metallic roofs and often metallic frames as well, are practically immune from attack by lightning.

The total number of deaths due to lightning in any given summer is comparatively very small—in the ratio of about one to each 200,000 population in the United States. In cities the destructive influence of lightning is exceedingly small, although occasional fires are caused by it, especially where gas pipes abound.

Protection of electric circuits from lightning has been an interesting subject for research for a number of years, and several highly efficient devices have been constructed for this purpose. Today lightning is little feared by the station superintendent and should be very little feared by any one. The time honored rule that it is wisest to keep in the open and not seek the shelter of trees is one which common prudence dictates. Recourse to the feather bed of our ancestors, however, is no longer necessary except to quiet the nerves of timorous persons, while the ancient superstitions regarding handling steel instruments and sitting in drafts may be utterly disregarded. A modern building in a city is as nearly absolutely lightning proof and those in it are as nearly absolutely protected from lightning as is possible.—Electrical Review.

Willing to Please.

Employer—I am very suspicious of young men nowadays. You can't tell how they are going to turn out. Why, in six months they know a great deal more about your business than you do yourself and want to manage it entirely.

Applicant For Situation—I can assure you, sir, that if you engage me I will devote as little time as possible to your business."

Doomed Either Way.

Doctor—Mr. Tillington, your wife will risk her life if she attends that wedding so soon after having the grip.

Mr. Tillington—Well, doctor, she'll die if she has to miss it.—Life.

When a man really needs a licking, nothing does him more good than to get it.—Atchison Globe.

Money is one thing everybody is after, and yet it always gets left behind.

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At intervals of eight or ten miles along the public highway, usually in connection with the skyds stations, are inns where the traveler will invariably find the comforts if not the luxuries of life—plenty of food and shelter, bed and board. There is no upholstered furniture or velvet carpets or eggshell china, but always neat lace curtains at every window, sometimes in the windows of the stables.

A luxurious American will have to deny himself much that he is accustomed to at home and will encounter experiences and customs that are new and novel to him. But if he is reasonable in his requirements and behaves himself like a gentleman he will always meet with a hospitable although a homely welcome. The Norwegian hotel keepers measure our appetites by their own and give you so much to eat, particularly at the noon dinner, that you are stupid and sleepy all the rest of the day and snooze in your carriage when you ought to be admiring the scenery.

There is no style about the hotels, and the service is poor. The household work is all done by the landlord and his wife and daughters. There are no electric bells, and if you want anything you usually have to hunt for it and help yourself. It is the custom of the country for the travelers to make themselves at home, and you are sometimes compelled to look after your own luggage or it is liable to be left. But you will recover it again after a time. The people are honest, considerate and unselfish, but unpretentious in their hospitality. There are no locks on their doors, for none is needed. Burglars and thieves are absolutely unknown.

The bedrooms are barren of ornaments and easy chairs that we are accustomed to at home. There are no carpets and no rugs on the floor. All the appurtenances are plain and substantial, without any effort at show and very little idea of convenience. The beds are good, but usually the only cover is a comfortable seven or eight inches thick and as heavy and unwieldy as a feather bed. You can't tuck it in at the bottom or at the sides, and it is always sliding off to the floor. It is too much covering for an ordinary sleeper, and when the nights are warm, as they often are, you are compelled to choose between a chill and suffocation.

The pillows are another nuisance. There are usually a bolster of feathers about the size of a barrel and a little bit of a 4 by 9 pillow an inch or two thick, with pretty trimmings upon it. The big pillow is too big, and the little one is two small, and you solve the dilemma by rolling up your overcoat into a ball and using that instead. There is plenty of fresh, heavy, homemade linen—large, square towels that have been woven under the same roof during the long winter days.

The breakfast is abundant and often terrifying. You are at first confronted with five or six different kinds of cheese, an equal variety of cold meats, tinned fish, smoked herring and salmon, cold boiled ham, three or four kinds of cold sausage, strips of dried reindeer meat and half a dozen different jams and preserved fruits. You are expected to partake freely of that sort of provender and usually do so until you learn by experience that dried fish, boiled eggs, veal cutlets and other hot food will soon follow if you are patient. The coffee is usually good, and there is always an abundance of rich, thick cream. There is no warm bread, but five or six kinds of cold bread baked from wheat, rye and oat flour, besides the national "flatbrod," which no Norwegian table is ever without.

The dinner is a formidable affair after the fashion of the ordinary European table d'hote, with soup, fish, roast, salad, preserves and pudding, while for supper you get the same assortment of cheese, cold meats, fish, sausage and preserves that you have had for breakfast and two or three hot dishes. Fish is the staff of life and salmon the mainstay. It is served in some form at every meal, fried at breakfast and supper and boiled for dinner, with strips of cold smoked salmon of a deep rich color on the side at all meals.

The lakes and rivers are well stocked with salmon trout, which are caught in nets and kept alive in tanks until they are needed. You enjoy them the first five or six meals, but after you have had them seventeen or eighteen times in succession they begin to lose their relish. Beer is the ordinary beverage. Everybody drinks it. Claret and Rhine wine can be had at the larger hotels, but never any whisky, brandy or other strong liquors. Local option prevails throughout Norway, and in the country districts the sale of spirituous liquors is forbidden.—W. E. Curtis in Chicago Record-Herald.

Half and Half.

"Have you suffered much from toothache?" asked the dentist.

"A little," answered the young woman in the chair, "but not much. My teeth, I suspect, are like mamma's. She has never had anything done to hers, and she hasn't an unsound tooth in her head."

"How are your father's teeth?"

"Poor papa! His are all gone. They never were anything but mere shells."

"Well," said the dentist, breaking it to her as gently as he could, "it's very evident that you inherit your upper jaw from your mother and your lower jaw from your father."—Chicago Tribune.

In mediæval times the best perfumes were made in France and Italy, the perfumers of those countries acquiring a dexterity unknown elsewhere and possessing many secret methods of manufacture.

Wanted, Sharp Knives.

"I have often wondered where one could find the sharp knives of the world," said an observant citizen, "and really the problem is one of some seriousness, and one, upon reflection, is almost driven to the conclusion that there are no sharp knives in the world.

"Have you ever noticed how hard it is to find a really sharp knife? Stop the first man you meet and ask him to let you have his knife for a minute and listen to what he says about it. Nine times out of ten he will say, 'I have one, but it isn't very sharp.' You may pick out your men indifferently, and they will always tell you the same thing. If a man should ask me for my knife to sharpen a lead pencil or to use for some other purpose, the chances are I would say about the same thing, 'I have one, but it isn't very sharp.'

"And really the answer thus made is generally true. Men do not keep sharp knives. It may be because they do not need sharp knives or it may be a matter of laziness, but in any event they do not carry them around with them, or if they do they always give their friend a dull one."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Fable.

One day as the Elephant was passing through the forest he came upon a Hare who had fallen into a pool and was shivering with cold, and in his good heartedness he stopped and called out:

"How, now, Mrs. Hare, but what is the trouble here?"

"Alas, but I fell into the pond and am almost dying with a chill!" wailed the Hare.

"Say you so. Ah, but we can easily remedy that. I will lie down beside you, and the heat of my body will soon make you warm and blithe again."

And the Elephant tumbled down with a grunt and a groan and observed that he was always cheerfully willing to put himself out for the sake of others, especially for the weak and helpless.

After a quarter of an hour, and not hearing from the Hare, he rose up to inquire if she felt better, and to his sorrow and consternation he discovered that he had crushed the life out of her as he laid down.

Moral: Our friends injure us more than our enemies.—Detroit Free Press.

Catastrophe of the Oneida.

One of the most extraordinary catastrophes that have befallen vessels of the United States destroyed the sloop of war Oneida in 1869. She was bound homeward, with a jolly ship's company, eager to see wives and sweethearts and native land once more, when not far out of port she was struck by the British steamer Bombay coming in. The stem of the Bombay cut off the stern of the Oneida. The ship was sinking rapidly, and guns of distress were immediately fired, but the Bombay steamed on her way and left the vessel to her doom. She went down, and all but one or two of her crew were drowned.

The captain of the Bombay gave no other reason for his conduct than that he had Lady Eyre, the wife of a distinguished British satrap, on board and did not wish to disturb her nerves with scenes of shipwreck. He was mobbed when he reached Yokohama, dismissed from the service, socially tabooed from that time on and died in disgrace a year or two later.

Unlucky Day Superstitions.

In Grafton's manual of his chronicles, 1565, the unlucky days, according to the opinions of the astronomers, are named as follows: Jan. 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 15, 17 and 20 are unlucky; Feb. 26, 27 and 28 unlucky, 8, 10 and 17 very unlucky; March 16, 17 and 20 very unlucky; April 7, 8, 10 and 20 unlucky; May 3 and 6 unlucky, 7, 15 and 20 very unlucky; June 10 and 22 unlucky, 4 and 8 very unlucky; Aug. 29 and 30 unlucky, 19 and 20 very unlucky; Sept. 3, 4, 21 and 23 unlucky, 6 and 7 very unlucky; Oct. 4, 16 and 24 unlucky, 6 very unlucky; Nov. 5, 6, 29 and 30 unlucky, 15 and 20 very unlucky; Dec. 15 and 22 unlucky, 6, 7 and 9 very unlucky.

Ornaments on Saddles.

In the fifth century saddles were made so extravagantly magnificent that a prohibition was issued by Leo I., in which it was ordered that no one should ornament them with pearls or precious stones. In the sixth century the Emperor Mauritius required that the saddles should have large coverings of fur. The ignominous punishment of "bearing the saddle" had its origin in the middle ages.

Incontroveritible Evidence.

"Now, children, I want you all to remember that James Watt discovered the wonderful steam engine by simply watching the kettle boil."

"Please, ma'am, I don't just see how that could be."

"Why not?"

"'Cause watched pots never boil."—Boston Courier.

She Valued Her Head.

Henry VIII., after the death of Jane Seymour, had some difficulty in getting another wife. His first offer was to the duchess dowager of Milan, but her answer is said to have been: "I have only one head. If I had two, one should certainly be at his service."

Misunderstood.

"I would like a straw with this lemonade," said the lady at the table to the server of the beverage.

"Hey?" ejaculated the waiter, who was hard of hearing.

"No; straw, I said."—Beverages.

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All His Fortune.

One day before his marriage the Rev. Sydney Smith ran into the room where his fiancee was, flung into her lap six small teaspoons which "from much wear had become the ghosts of their former selves" and said, "There, Kate, you lucky girl, I give you all my fortune." He gave her, however, what he did not mention, his fine character and great talent and in every way proved himself an excellent husband.

A Long Way Off.

An interesting calculation has been made by a French geologist to the effect that, taking into consideration the wear and tear on the solid land by ocean washing, rivers, wind and weather and leaving out of the calculation volcanic action, the world will in 4,500,000 years be completely under water and no dry land exist at all.

Knew Her Well.

"I did not know that you knew my wife."

"Oh, yes; very well."

"Where did you meet?"

"Never before; but one of my servants lived at your home two months."—Fliegende Blatter.

Too Realistic.

"Look here," said a Suffolk farmer to a friend, "I'm going to kill my pig, but I owe so much pork to my neighbors that I shall have none left for myself if I pay it all back. What would you do?"

"Quite easy to trick 'em," said the friend. "Kill your pig and leave it hanging outside until late at night, so's every one can see it. Then take it in and say some one stole it. Stick to the tale, and you'll be all right."

The farmer followed instructions, and the kind friend watched his chance and stole the pig. The poor farmer came around next morning to tell what had happened.

"Somebody's stolen my pig!" he cried.

"Good!" said the friend. "Stick to it, and the neighbors 'll believe you, sure enough."

"But it was stolen, I tell you!"

"Excellent!" quoth the friend. "Just you stick to the tale."

"You confounded ass!" yelled the farmer. "Don't you understand? It was really stolen!"

"Superb!" laughed the delighted friend. "You ought to have been an actor, so you ought."

That Suffolk farmer slammed the door and went away fuming.—London Answers.

Fire Among the Redwoods.

Perhaps the most startling phenomenon of the fire was the quick death of childlike sequoias only a century or two ago, says John Muir in The Atlantic. In the midst of the other comparatively slow and steady fire work one of these tall, beautiful saplings, leafy and branchy, would be seen blazing up suddenly all in one heaving, booming, passionate flame reaching from the ground to the top of the tree and fifty to a hundred feet or more above it, with a smoke column bending forward and streaming away on the upper free flowing wind.

To burn these green trees a strong fire of dry wood beneath them is required to send up a current of air hot enough to distill inflammable gases from the leaves and sprays; then, instead of the lower limbs gradually catching fire and igniting the next and next in succession, the whole tree seems to explode almost simultaneously, and with awful roaring and throbbing a round tapering flame shoots up 200 or 300 feet, and in a second or two is quenched, leaving the green spire a black dead mast bristled and roughened with down curling boughs.

To Cure Round Shoulders.

In the case of round shoulders the muscles of the back are likely to stiffen from disuse. A special exercise to get them into a limber condition seems to be necessary. Stretch out and down with the arms until they nearly touch the floor, bending back in like manner. To successfully accomplish the latter sit on a stool before an upright piano or heavy desk, plant your knees firmly against the furniture until you have a good support, then slowly bend backward with your hand pointed over your head. At first you think you will surely crack in half, so stiff are the muscles, but astonishingly soon comes the pliability, and as it is impossible to fall your progress is easy and rapid. This exercise if persisted in will straighten out a curved spine, but it must be done gently and with patience, because the tendons in the back are delicate and must not be coerced.

The Lustrous Pearl.

Pearls, as most readers know, are small bodies found either in the mother of pearl shells or those with a nacreous lining. They are formed either by a disease, by the presence of a parasite or by an effort on the part of the mollusk to rid itself of some foreign substance which has found its way into the shell.

Pearls are composed of many layers of carbonate of lime with organic matter between and are not always pearly throughout and invariably have some small central core or nucleus. Round pearls of fine luster and color are very valuable, and their value increases rapidly with their size.

Daring Wasps.

"Wasps were the first paper makers," said an entomologist. "It is very interesting to study the ways of these fierce little insects. For the sake of a grab at the honey store a single individual will sometimes face a whole hive of bees, being in fair combat a match for any three inhabitants of the apiary. Most of us have had experience of the fearlessness with which they will attack human beings."

Fire Fighting In England.

In the smaller places in England horses have to be borrowed for the fire engines. Often thirty to fifty minutes are wasted in getting horses, which, when an alarm of fire was given, were at work at their daily duty. A considerable amount of time is also lost in finding proper harness for them. The horsing of steam engines in country districts is a very difficult problem.

How the Lover Looks at the Fire.

When a young Savoyard goes a-wooing, he pays considerably more attention to the admired one's fire than to her face. If she leaves the billets of wood undisturbed on the hearth, it is a sign that he is welcome, but should she place one of the blazing fagots in an upright position against the others it is a hint for him to take his departure.

Considerate.

Bangs—Jubkins is the homeliest man I ever saw.

Slangs—Why don't you say it to his face?

Bangs—I don't want to.

Slangs—You're afraid to, ain't you?

Bangs—Oh, no. But his face has enough to bear already.—Detroit Free Press.

Insect Pests In Brazil.

I should take a small gang of practical coffee planters from Ceylon with good digestions to be not afraid of ghigers, ticks and Berne flies, to say nothing of the dear little mosquito. The writer had extracted during four years in Brazil no less than 200 ghiggars from underneath every toe nail of both feet. The Portuguese, Brazilians, Italians and Spaniards called it a recreation on Sunday to dig them out of each other's feet.

Of all the vile insects on earth, the Berne fly is the worst. She lays her eggs inside your flesh and hatches three very ugly insects an inch long with three rings of bristles round the body and sharp nippers. They take about six weeks to develop under your skin, then commence to turn somersaults just when you want to go to sleep after a hard day's work in the sun. The natives of Brazil adopt a novel way of extracting the brute when full grown. They tie on a piece of raw pork, and the Berne comes out of your skin and takes a header into the piece of pigskin.—Ceylon Observer.

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An Afghan Trick.

During a shooting match in the presence of the governor of Kandahar the sirdar noticed to his astonishment that the heads of sparrows were the favorite butt of the marksmen, who but seldom missed their aim, whereupon he declared that it was far more difficult to hit an egg. Sir Peter laughed at the supposition, but the sirdar stood his ground, and the matter was put to the test. An egg was suspended on a wall, and the soldiers fired at it; but, strange to say, not one of them hit the egg.

The governor and his suit kept their countenances and excused the nonsuccess of the firing party on the ground of the difficulty of the thing. At last a ball happened to hit the thread to which the egg was fastened, and it fell to the ground without breaking. Now the mystery was solved. The cunning Afghan had used a blown egg, and the featherweight shell had been moved aside each time by the current of air in front of the ball and thus escaped being hit.

Limited Numeral System.

The natives of Murray island, Torres strait, have a numerical system which is based on two numbers, netat, one, and neis, two. Above two they compute by composition—neis-netat means three, neis i neis (two and two), four. When they get above this figure, they have recourse to different parts of the body, beginning with the little and other fingers of the left hand and going from there to the wrist, elbow, armpit, shoulder, etc., on the left side, and thence down the right side to twenty-one, the toes giving ten numbers more, to thirty-one. Beyond this they are satisfied with "many."

Much In the Name.

Once there were some very swagger people in an ultra fashionable village not far from the metropolis who decided that no society yet bunched together was exclusive enough for them. Even the Colonial Dames failed to meet the requirements. So they determined to start a new aggregation that should be the real thing.

After considerable thought they concluded that if they limited membership to direct descendants of Fernando de Soto it would be sufficiently exclusive for their fastidious tastes. A "Society of the Sons and Daughters of De Sota" was the outcome. All the best people in the village proved that they were eligible and were enrolled as charter members.

However, there was one man on the outer fringe whose proof of descent was not accepted; in short, he was blackballed. This made him angry, and he started to investigate the subject.

One day he published his findings in the local newspaper. The principal fact was this: "F. de Soto died a bachelor."

The Sons and Daughters of De Sota are now known as the Elite Euchre club.

Moral—There's a whole lot in a name.—Smart Set.

Why a Horse Eats Often.

The horse can conveniently eat for twenty hours out of the twenty-four. A horse which is in good health has a good appetite at all times and is able to stand plenty of work and is rarely on the sick list. To be a good feeder, especially on a journey, is a great recommendation in the opinion of every good judge of horseflesh. The reason of a horse being such a constant eater is that its stomach is really small in proportion to the size of its body, and therefore it requires feeding often, not less than four times a day, two of which should be early in the morning and at night, while hay should in the stall be always within its reach.—London Tit-Bits.

Eat Live Fish.

The Japanese practice refined cruelty to delight their palates. They believe that the fish called the dai is most delicious when eaten alive. An expert Japanese carver can dexterously remove five-sixths of the edible matter from its bones without touching a vital part. During this cruel operation the fish is kept alive by wet seaweed which, being placed over its gills, enables it to breathe.

A Simple Disinfectant.

A simple disinfectant to use in a sickroom or in any room where a close, musty or sewer smell is noticed is to put some ground coffee on a shovel, a bit of camphor gum in the middle of it. Light the gum, which is nonexplosive and easily ignited, with a match and allow the coffee to burn with the gum. A refreshing and sanitary perfume is the result.

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A Reef, a Sand Bank and a River.

Lord Coleridge, the famous lord chief justice, once recounted to Sir Mount Stuart E. Grant-Duff an incident of his earlier life. He had to cross examine an eminent professional witness about a proposed harbor. In the course of doing so he said, "But, Mr. ——, isn't there a reef of rocks that would be a great inconvenience to you?"

"Oh, yes," replied the witness. "Undoubtedly there is, but we propose to get rid of it in such and such a manner."

"Very good," rejoined Coleridge, "but when you have got rid of it, would there not be a very awkward sand bank to contend with?"

"Certainly," said the witness, "but against it we should provide thus and thus."

"Well," answered Coleridge, "but when you have removed both these obstacles would you not still have a great deal of trouble from the current of the river when in flood?"

"Clearly," was the answer, "but we should encounter that difficulty successfully by another expedient," which the witness proceeded to explain.

"You have seen the place, have you not?" said Coleridge.

"Oh, yes," replied the other.

"Well, I never did," was the rejoinder. "I have invented alike the reef, the sand bank and the river!"

The Tunnel Was Forgotten.

At Brussels the visitor is often struck by the extreme thinness of the earth covering the Braine le Comte tunnel and wonders why the common sense of the engineers who made the line did not direct them to continue the cutting and thus avoid a subterranean passage.

The mystery is thus explained: When railways were in their veriest infancy, the Belgian government sent a party of engineers over to England to acquire experience in construction of the new iron highways, and on their return they were instructed to lay out the first railway in that enterprising little kingdom. The work was accordingly put in hand, but on its completion one of the engineers exclaimed:

"Good gracious, we have forgotten the tunnel!"

The consternation was general, especially when it was remembered that there was not a single line in England but could boast of a tunnel. What was to be done? Nothing but to construct the long corridor at Braine le Comte, and when it was finished the earth was put on top. The tunnel was the glory of the line.

Massage For the Scalp.

The hair falls out when the strength of its roots is insufficient to sustain its weight any longer, and a new hair will take its place unless the root is diseased. For this reason each person has a certain definite length of hair. When the hair begins to split or fall out, massage of the scalp is excellent.

Place the tips of the fingers firmly upon the scalp, and then vibrate or move the scalp while holding the pressure steadily. This will stimulate the blood vessels underneath and bring the blood vessels underneath and bring about better nourishment of the hair. A brush of unevenly tufted bristles is also excellent to use upon the scalp, not the hair.

Irregularity and Indigestion.

A common cause of indigestion is irregularity respecting the time of meals. The human system seems to form habits and to be in a degree dependent upon the performance of its function in accordance with the habits formed. In respect to digestion this is especially observable. If a meal is taken at a regular hour, the stomach becomes accustomed to receiving food at that hour and is prepared for it.

If meals are taken irregularly, the stomach is taken by surprise, so to speak, and is never in that state of readiness in which it should be for the prompt and perfect performance of its work.

Ashes on Cigars.

"Few men professing to be judges of fine cigars know anything at all about smoking them," remarked a cigar dealer. "The ashes on the end of the cigar serve to retain the flavor and should be permitted to remain as long as possible. Then the constant thumping some smokers give their cigars in the attempt to keep them clear of ashes often causes the wrappers to break, and that also lessens the pleasure of a good smoke."

Dogs of Alaska.

The dogs of Alaska are called malamutes. They are a cross between a dog and a wolf and work in harness soon after their birth. They do not bark, but have a peculiar howl. They have long hair and can sleep in the open with the thermometer 60 degrees below zero. Their usual food is fish and seal blubber. They are fed once a day, usually at night.

Where to Begin.

Mrs. Trotabout—I shall be off the greater part of the day, as I have joined the Society For the Suppression of Needless and Nerve Racking Noises.

Mr. T.—Good idea, my dear. Take the baby along with you.—New York Weekly.

Flies Are Tough.

A fly is almost invincible. It will survive long immersion in water, will sustain the odors of sulphur and other disinfectants without apparent injury. Only turpentine, chloroform and ammonia and washing can get the better of a fly.

The Professor at Home.

"Grandpa," said Dot, who had been puzzling her brains over something she was reading, "what is 'food for thought'?"

"Head cheese, my child," replied the professor.—Chicago Tribune.

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